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For: **CLOSING MECHANISM
COMPRISING A HEATING
MEANS, AND METHOD FOR
PRODUCING ONE SUCH CLOSING
MECHANISM**

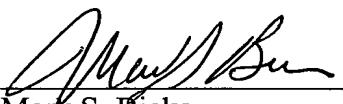
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Sir:

Submitted herewith is an English Language Preliminary Examination Report for the above-identified application.

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